

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the Application of :  
Xi JIANG et al. : Confirmation No. 9197  
Serial No. 10/520,087 : Group Art Unit 1648  
Filed December 28, 2004 : Examiner LI, Boa Q.

METHOD, COMPOSITION AND KIT FOR  
ANTIGENIC BINDING OF NORWALK-LIKE  
VIRUSES

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

**VIA EFS WEB**

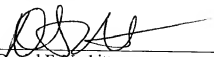
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant requests a one (1) month extension of time for filing a Response pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a). The required fee is attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

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